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## **DX INFORMATION**

3D2 - Eddie DeYoung, VK4AN and his 13-year-old son Rajiv, VK4FRAJ will be active as 3D2A from Malolo Lailai (OC-121), Fiji Islands on 17-31 May, CQ WW WPX CW Contest included. They plan to operate CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31 on 160-6 metres. with two transceivers with amplifiers for the HF bands, plus one radio for 6 metres. Planned operating frequencies and further information can be found at www.grz.com under 3D2A. QSL via VK4AN, direct will or bureau. Logs be uploaded http://hosenose.com/logic/logcheck/

4O - Joska, HA9RT will be active as 4O/HA9RT from Budva, Montenegro from 30 May to 6 June. He plans to operate mainly CW on the HF bands. QSL via home call. [TNX HA9RT]

4U1UN - Roger, G3SXW and Johnny, LA5IIA expect to operate as 4U1UN from the United Nations Headquarters in New York City on 17-18 May, between "lunchtime Saturday to lunchtime Sunday, NY time", even though "I think it unlikely that we will be able to QRV for the whole 24 hours", Roger says. QSL via HB9BOU.

4W - The Spanish "RadioSolidaridad" project for Timor Leste [425DXN 881] has received the callsign 4W6R Appropried frequencies are:

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	CW	RTTY	SSB	
160m	1830	-	1845	
80m	3508	3615	3785	
40m	7008	7038	7065	
30m	10118	10145	-	
20m	14018	10085	14185	
17m	18078	18105	18135	
15m	21018	21085	21295	
12m	24898	24925	24945	
10m	28018	28085	28485	
бm	50098	50300	50155	

The team will be in country from 10 to 24 June. QSL via EA4URE, direct or bureau. Their website is at <a href="http://www.ure.es/hf/eadx/expediciones/4w2008/">http://www.ure.es/hf/eadx/expediciones/4w2008/</a>

5R - Daniel, DF8UO will operate CW and SSB as 5R8UO from Antananarivo, Madagascar (AF-013) on 22-28 May, CQ WW WPX CW Contest included. QSL via home call. [TNX The Daily DX]

5Z - Look for 5Z4DX to be active from Kenya between 14 May and 11 June, including a side trip to Wasini Island (AF-067) on 25-26 May. QSL direct to Frank Steffen Gast, Eskifirdi, 735 Eskifjoedur, Iceland. [TNX www.rsqbiota.org]

9A - Kiko/9A4KW, Felix/9A5BS and Zak/9A5ZP will be active as homecall/p the Plitvice Lakes National Park, Licko-Senjska county on 10 May. They plan to operate SSB and PSK on 40, 30 and 20 metres. [TNX 9A4KW]

9A - Frans, ON6KN will be active holiday style as 9A/OO6N from Losinj Island (EU-136) on 12-24 May. QSL via ON6KN, direct or bureau. [TNX ON6KN]

9A - Alessandro, IK4ALM and Sergio, IZ4BBF will be active as 9A/homecall from the island of Sveti Nikola (EU-110) on 15-19 May. [TNX IZ4BBF]

9A - Once again Zik, VE3ZIK will be active as 9A/VE3ZIK from Bilice, Croatia on 18-27 May. He plans to operate CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK on the HF bands and to take part in the CQ WW WPX CW Contest (SOSB or SOAB). QSL via DO7ZZ, direct or bureau (e-mail requests for bureau cards can be sent to zik@tiscali.de), and log search to www.gslnet.de/ve3zik [TNX VE3ZIK]



9M - On 15 May the Malaysian Communications & Multimedia Commission issued following eighteen special callsigns to celebrate 100 Years of Scouting in Malaysia: for 9M1CSA, West Malaysia 9M1CSB. 9M1CSC. 9M1CSD. 9M1CSF. 9M1CSI 9M1CS1

9M1CSK, 9M1CSM, 9M1CSN, 9M1CSP (Penang Island, AS-015), 9M1CSR, 9M1CST, 9M1CSW, 9M1CSY and 9M1CSZ; for East Malaysia 9M1CSQ and 9M1CSS. They are valid until 31 December and will be used especially during JOTA events. The first one (Malaysia Jamboree On The Air) was held on 17-18 May, the Asia Pacific JOTA and the World JOTA will follow on 2-3 August and 18-19 October respectively. The national society (MARTS) provides QSL Bureau service to all 9M1CSx stations. [TNX 9M2TO]

9M2 - Rich, PAORRS will be active again as 9M2MRS from Penang Island (AS-015) from 17 November until 6 February 2009. QSL via home call. [TNX PAORRS]

9M6\_spr - The team members of the 1-14 March 2009 operation from Pulau Layang Layang, Spratly Islands (AS-051) are John/9M6XRO, Steve/9M6DXX, Pete/SM5GMZ, Jay/W5SL and James/9V1YC. A sixth team member will be confirmed later. Activity will be on 10-80 metres CW, SSB and RTTY using three stations, two with full legal limit linear amplifiers. Callsign to be confirmed and QSL information via M3SDE (direct or bureau). [TNX 9M6DXX]

9X - Rich, WA3FPK will be in Rwanda for three weeks starting on 15 May. He has been issued the call 9X0A and he plans to be active in his spare time, mainly on 20 metres SSB, especially during his last week in the country. QSL via KA1CRP. [TNX The Daily DX]

BY - Five Beijing Olympic Games special event stations will be active from 18 May through 17 September. The five special callsigns will represent the five colours of the Olympic flag: BT10B (for Beibei, blue), BT10J (for Jingjing, black), BT10H (for Huanhuan, red), BT10Y (for Yingying, yellow) and BT10N (for Nini, green). The QSL manager for all of them will be BA4EG, direct or bureau. Further information at <a href="https://www.bj2008ses.com.cn">www.bj2008ses.com.cn</a> [TNX The Daily DX]

C6 - W2GJ, K3IXD and W3PP will be active as C6APR from Crooked Island (NA-113), Bahamas on 25-28 July. They will operate on 80-6 metres CW, SSB, and RTTY, and will participate in the IOTA Contest. QSL via K3IXD. [TNX K3IXD]

CT - A large group of operators from the Algarve DX Group will activate seven different lighthouses on 31 May and 1 June. Special callsigns to be used are CT7LHA (Ponta do Altar), CT7LHF (Torre da Igreja da Fuzeta), CT7LHM (Cabo de Santa Maria), CT7LHP (Ponta da Piedade), CT7LHR (Vila Real de Santo Antonio), CT7LHV (Cabo de Sao Vicente) and CT7LHZ (Alfanzina). Expect activity on 40, 30, 20, 17 and 15 metres CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL via CT1GFK, direct or bureau. Further information at <a href="https://www.ct7lh.no.sapo.pt">www.ct7lh.no.sapo.pt</a> [TNX CT1GFK]

CU - The Uniao de Radioamadores dos Acores will be active as CU3URA from Contendas lighthouse on Terceira Island (EU-175) from 31 May to 1 June. Expect activity on 10, 12, 15, 17, 20, 40 and 80 metres CW, SSB and RTTY, plus 6 and 2 metres. [TNX CT1END]

CU - Alain, F5LMJ will be active from the Azores in July. He will operate CW and digital modes as CU2/F5LMJ from Sao Miguel (EU-003) on 19-26 July, and as CU3/F5LMJ from Terceira (EU-175) from 26 July to 1 August. [TNX F5LMJ]

CU - CT1EGW, CT1EEQ, CT3FN (HB9CRV), CU2HJA, CU8AS, DL9DAN and HB9CQL will be active as CU1F (QSL via CT1GFK) from the lighthouse Goncalo Velho on Santa Maria Island (EU-003), Azores from 21 July to 1 August. Look for activity on 80-6 metres CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31; a beacon will be operated on 50113 kHz using CU1/CT3FN. They expect to participate in the IOTA Contest (26-27 July) as CU1T (QSL via CT1GFK). [TNX CT1END]

DL & OZ - Heinz, DL4AO will be active as DL4AO/p from Ruegen Island (EU-057) and as OZ/DL4AO from Bornholm Island (EU-030) between 10 and 26 June. He will operate in his early morning and late afternoon hours, mostly on 20 metres. While on Bornoholm he will operate also on 6 metres CW and SSB. All of the QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau. [TNX DL4AO]

EA - The Demon DXers Team (<u>www.demondsdxers.es</u>) will be active as EE1TR from Tazones lighthouse at Villaviciosa on 2-4 May. They plan to operate SSB, CW and RTTY on 80-6 metres. QSL via EA1YG, direct or bureau. [TNX F5NQL]

EA6 - Matthias, DD9HK will be active as EA6/DD9HK from Mallorca, Balearic Islands (EU-004) on 15-19 June. He will operate holiday style on160-6 metres SSB. [TNX DD9HK]

EA8 - The Teide DX Group will be active as EG8FOR from Orchilla lighthouse on Hierro Island (AF-004), on 30 May to 1 June. They will operate on the HF bands, plus 6 and 2 metres, using CW, SSB, FM and digital modes. QSL via

EA8NQ, direct or bureau. Further information can be found at <a href="http://www.eg8for.grupodxteide.com/">http://www.eg8for.grupodxteide.com/</a> [TNX EA8NQ]

F - Francois, F5JNE will be active as F5JNE/p from Belle IIe en Mer (EU-048) on 8-21 May. He plans to operate mainly CW during his evenings. QSL via home call, bureau preferred. [TNX F5NQL]

F - F4BCG, F4FCS, F5RAB, F6AXN and F6DPD will be active as TM5EL from Ile aux Moines (EU-107) on 9-11 May. They will operate mostly SSB and CW, and activity will depend on tide hours

and weather conditions. QSL via F6KHI, direct or bureau. [TNX www.rsqbiota.org]

F - Dieter (DK5PZ), Volker (DL1WH), Peter (DL2RPS) and Rene (DL7WR) will operate from the Council of Europe Radio Club (TP2CE) on 16-18 May. They will concentrate on the low bands CW, SSB and digital modes. QSL via F5LGF. [TNX DL1WH]

F - Giovanni/IK1WEG, Davide/IW1DQS, Gerry/IZ1DSH, Giorgio/IZ1DXS, Riccardo/IZ1GDB, Willy/IZ1HGM and Claudio/IZ1JMV will be active with three stations from St. Honorat, Lerins Islands (EU-058) on 17-18 May. Should their requested call (TM0IL, QSL via IZ1HGM) not be issued in time, they will operate as F/homecall. All of the QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau. [TNX IZ1DXS]

F - Once again the "Castres DX Gang" will be active as TM5B from Fort Brescou (EU-148, DIFM ME-001). Look for them to operate on all bands and modes on 22-26 May. QSL via F5XX. [TNX F8REF]

F - Dom, F5SJB will again be active as TM5CW on CW, RTTY and PSK from 23 May to 5 June, CQ WW WPX CW Contest included. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX F5SJB]

F - Charente DX Group members Joel/F1BLQ, Bertrand/F6HKA, Eric/F5LOW, Laurent/F5MNK, Fabrice/F5NBQ and Leon/ON4ZD will be active as TMOG from Groix Island (EU-048, DIFM AT-012) on 24-31 May. They will operate SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK on 80-10

metres with three stations. QSL via F6ANA, direct or bureau. [TNX F5NBQ]

F - In June-July 1944 the BBC war correspondents used the tower of the chateau at Creully as a radio studio, from where the first reports of the Battle of Normandy were broadcasted. Look for special callsign TM5BBC to be aired again from Creully from 30 May to 6 June. QSL via F2UW. [TNX F5NQL]

F - Joining the celebrations for the 400th anniversary of the founding of Quebec City, amateur radio operators of the Charente-Maritime (REF-17) will be active as TM400 on 1-15 June.

F - Special event station TM6ACO will be activated (for the 57th year) on all bands SSB and CW on 1-15 June for the 24 Hours of Le Mans. QSL via bureau to F6KFI. Further information at <a href="http://asso.proxiland.fr/aras72/">http://asso.proxiland.fr/aras72/</a>[TNX F5TJC]

F - The South Flanders DX Activity Group will operate once again as F/ON6JUN/P on 5-9 June to commemorate the 64th anniversary of D-Day. They will be QRV on the HF bands CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK. QSL via ON5SD, direct or bureau. [TNX F5NQL]

F - The Association des RadioAmateurs des Cotes d'Armor (F6KBO) will be active as TM6BRE from Brehat Island (EU-074, DIFM MA-012) on 6-8 June. Expect activity on 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6 and 2 metres SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK31. QSL via F6KBO. [TNX F5NQL]

F - Commemorating the 64th anniversary of D-Day special station TM6JUN will be active once again from Utah Beach on 6-8 June. [TNX F8REF]

F - Michel, F6IPS will operate as TM6SME on 6-15 June from Emondeville, close to Sainte Mere-Eglise, to commemorate the 64th anniversary of the World War II "D-Day" landings in Normandy (6 June 1944). QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX F5NQL]

F - Special event station TMOGP will be active on 7-20 June for the French Formula 1 Grand Prix that will be held at Nevers Magny-Cours on 22 June. QSL via F1HWL (all QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau. [TNX F8REF]

F - Didier, F4ELJ will be active as F4ELJ/p from Groix Island (EU-048) on 19-26 July. QSL via home call. [TNX F4ELJ]

F - Special callsign TMOWPC will be used on 3-17 August for the World Parachuting Championships in formation skydiving and artistic events to be held at Maubeuge-Elesmes (La Salmagne) airfield on 9-14 August. Expect activity on 160-2 metres CW, SSB and digital modes. QSL via F5KEB. [TNX F5NQL]

FG - The A.C.R.A Guadeloupe ARC (http://acra-radioclub.site.voila.fr) will operate SSB and CW as FG5KC/p from the IIes de la Petite-Terre (NA-102) on 8 June. [TNX FG1JD]

FH - Alain, F6BFH will be active as FH/F6BFH from Mayotte (AF-027)

from 9 July to 9 August. He will operate CW and SSB on all bands, with an emphasis on the lower bands. [TNX F6AJA]

FJ - Harry, AC8G will operate SSB only on 160-6 metres as FJ/AC8G from St. Barthelemy (NA-146) on 22-27 May. QSL via home call (from Stateside direct only, others direct or bureau). Logs will be uploaded to LoTW. [TNX NG3K]

G - The Cray Valley Radio Society will be airing the special call GB6MW on 10-11 May for the "Mills on the Air" weekend. The station will be located at Meopham



St. Honorat Island (EU-058)

- Windmill in Kent. Activity on CW and SSB, particularly 20, 40 and 80 metres. QSL via G4DFI. [TNX M3RCV]
- G Phil/F5OGG, Andre/F6HER, Franco/F4EVR and Tony/F8ATS will operate SSB and CW as M/F5KEE/p from St. Mary's, Scilly Isles (EU-011, grid square IN69uv) on 16-23 May. During the weekend they will concentrate on the VHF and UHF bands. QSL via F8ATS, direct or bureau. [TNX F5NQL]
- G The CQ CQ Portable Group will be active on the HF bands plus 2m, 6m and 70cm as GB0PIA from Piel Island (EU-005) on 24-25 May. QSL via 2E00YG. Further information can be found at <a href="http://www.hamuniverse.com/pielislanddxpedition.html">http://www.hamuniverse.com/pielislanddxpedition.html</a> [TNX MOJFE]
- GI OM5FM, OM7CA and GIONCA will be active as GB1SRI from Rathlin Island (EU-122) on 21-25 May. They plan to operat CW and SSB on 80-10 metres with two stations. QSL via OM5FM. [TNX www.rsqbiota.org]
- GJ Charles, MOOXO and Nigel, MONJW will be active as GB8LMI from Les Minquiers Islands (EU-099) on 23-29 July, including an entry in the IOTA Contest as MJOX. QSL via M3ZYZ. Updates will be available at <a href="http://www.gb8lmi.co.uk/">http://www.gb8lmi.co.uk/</a> [TNX NG3K]
- GM MMODFV, GMOWRR, MMOGDL and hopefully GM4TOQ will be active as MS0EPC (for PSK) and MS0DGR (for other modes) from a few EU-123 islands in the Firth of Clyde on 3-4 May. They plan to operate for about 2-3 hours from each island. Depending on the weather condition and other circumstances, the islands will be Horse, Lady, Ailsa Craig, Pladda, Inchmarnock and Little Cumbrae Island. QSL via MM0DFV, direct or bureau. [TNX MM0DFV]
- GM Mike, K9AJ, is a member of the team travelling to Rockall (EU-189) in a few days' time. If weather and seas allow, he will be QRV using battery power on 20 and 40 metres CW on the IOTA frequencies for +/- 24 hours. The time window is approximately 14-15 May, but landing date/time is at the sole discretion of the captain and could be +/- one or two days. Rockall is the rarest IOTA group in Europe, and was activated only once, and just for a few hours, back in 2005.
- GM Gordon, G3USR, will be active as GM3USR/p from the Island of Yell, Shetland (EU-012) from 4-8 June. He will operate SSB only on 40-6 metres with 100 watts, a vertical or dipole on 40m, a 5-band Spiderbeam on HF and a 3-element yagi on 6m. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX G3USR]
- GM The Grantham ARC (<a href="http://www.garc.org.uk">http://www.garc.org.uk</a>) have changed the destination of their trip [425DXN 883]. The Treshnish Islands (EU-108) have been replaced by Tanera Mor, Summer Isles (EU-092). Look for GBOSI to be active on 14-21 June. All of the QSOs will be confirmed automatically via bureau (your return cards are not required). The QSL manager for those who need a direct card is GORCI. [TNX GORCI]
- HC Al, HC2SL will be QRV on 160 metres (1830 khz listening 10 kHz up) on 3 May, from 00.00 UTC to 10 UTC. QSL via EA5KB. [TNX HC2SA]
- HL 6K5AQY, 6K5AYC , 6K5BHZ, 6K5ALT, DS5AJT and HL5BMX will be active (CW, SSB and digital modes on 80-10 metres) as 6M0W/4 from Paegya Island (AS-060) on 6-8 June. QSL via HL5BMX, direct or bureau. [TNX www.rsqbiota.org]
- I Special event callsign II9LXCT will be aired until 25 May to celebrate the 60th anniversary of ARI Catania. QSL via IT9VCE.
- I Sicily will host the first three stages of the 91st edition of the Giro d'Italia (the long distance road bicycle race for professional cyclists) and special event station IR9GI will be active on 10-18 May to celebrate that event. QSL via IT9TQH. [TNX IT9TQH]
- I ARI Ivrea will be active on all bands as IO1WWC from 12 May until 8 June, celebrating the Wildwater World  $\,$

- Championships to be held on 3-8 June (<a href="http://www.ivrea2008.it">http://www.ivrea2008.it</a>). QSL via IQ1IV, direct or bureau. [TNX IK1SOW]
- I ARI Savona will be active as II1JPR on 17 May for the visit of Pope Benedict XVI. SSB, CW and PSK31 operations are expected mainly on 40 and 20 metres. QSL via IZ1JIZ, direct or bureau. [TNX IZ1JIZ]
- I The fourth edition of the Mediterraneo DX Club's Members Trophy will take place on 17-18 May. The MDXC HQ station IQ8MD plus several special event stations are expected to participate in the event: 3G1MDC, II0MDC, II1MDC, II5MDC, II8MDC, IO1MDC, IO3MDC, IO8MDC, IO9MDC, IR0MDC, IR1MDC, IR2MDC, IR3MDC, IR5MDC, IR7MDC, IR8MDC, IR9MDC, SX1MDC. All of the QSOs made with these stations will be confirmed automatically via the bureau. Direct requests should be sent to the Members Trophy Manager, Giuliano Mondini (IK2VUC). Information on the event and the relevant award can be found at http://www.mdxc.org/trophy.asp
- I Alfio, IT9EJW and Giovanni, IT9GAC will try again to be active from Faraglioni dei Ciclopi (EU-025, IIA CT-003) on either 18 or 25 May. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. A web page can be found at http://www.mdxc.org/ciclopi [TNX IT9EJW]
- I Look for IA5/IZ5FDD and IA5/IW5ELA to be active from Elba Island (EU-028, IIA LI-002) on 22-25 May. They will operate SSB and slow CW on 40-10 metres, plus 6 and 2 metres on 24-25 May. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX IZ5FDD]
- I I2ROQ, IF9ZWA, IK8SHL, IT9AHI, IT9TFX, IT9YMM, IT9ZHS, IW9RFO and IZ1HVD will be active as IF9Z from Favignana Island (EU-054, IIA TP-011) on 23-25 May. They plan to operate SSB and digital modes on the HF bands and 6 metres. QSL via IT9YMM, direct or bureau. [TNX IT9YMM]
- I ARI Lecce will operate as II7PBS on 1-30 June to celebrate the visit of Pope Benedict XVI (14-15 June). QSL via bureau. [TNX I7PXV]
- I Celebrating the Italian Navy Day (10 June) and the 90th anniversary of the battle of Premuda, special stations II0MM, II9LR and II1GA will be active on 5-14 June. QSL for all via IZ0INU, direct or bureau. Information on the relevant award can be found at <a href="https://www.assoradiomarinai.tk">https://www.assoradiomarinai.tk</a> [TNX IT9MRM]
- I Look for ON7ARQ to be active as IA5/ON7ARQ from Elba Island (EU-028) on 6-16 June. He plans to operate on 20, 6, 2 metres and 23 cm. [TNX F5NQL]
- I IT9NCO, IT9DTU, IT9DCE and possibly others will operate on 80-10 metres CW, SSB and digital modes from the lighthouse at Cape Rasocolmo (WAIL SI-034, ARLHS ITA-032) on 7-8 June. QSLs via bureau. [TNX IT9NCO]



- I Participating in the 7-8 June Museum Ships Weekend, operators from ARMI will be active as II2IGTO from the submarine "Toti" at the National Museum of Science and Technology in Milan. Expect activity on the HF bands SSB and CW from 9.30 to 18.30 UTC. QSL via I2AZ, direct or bureau. Information on the
- relevant award can be found at <a href="http://www.assoradiomarinai.tk">http://www.assoradiomarinai.tk</a> [TNX IT9MRM]
- I Operators from ARMI and INORC will be active as IY1SP from the Naval Museum at La Spezia on 7-10 June, for the Museum Ships Weekend and the Italian Navy Day. Look for activity on the HF bands SSB and CW. QSL via I1SAF, direct or bureau. [TNX IT9MRM]
- I Alex, IK8YFU and Giovanna, IZ8FEV will be active as either IG9/homecall and IG9/IQ8PP from Lampedusa Island (AF-018, IIA AG-001) from 27 July to 2 August. [TNX IK8YFU]

JA - Look for JA1UNS/1, JI1PLF/1, 7N1GMK/1, 7L4PVR/1 and 7N4VPS/1 to be active from Hachijo Island (AS-043) on 16-19 May. They plan to operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 160-10 metres and 6m. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX JI6KVR]

JA - Aru, JAOKNM, and Kai, JE3NJZ will be active as homecall/JR6 from Kuro Island (JIIA AS-024-009), Yaeyama Islands (AS-024) on 6-9 June. They plan to operate CW, SSB and digital modes on 40-6 metres. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX JI6KVR and JE3NJZ]

JD1\_mt - Masa, JA6GXK is active again (80-6 metres) as JD1BMM from MinamiTorishima (OC-073) until 22 May. [TNX The Daily DX]

JD1\_oga - 7N4AGB, JA1EJK, JA1JQY, JA1KJW, JA1NND, JA1XEQ, JI1FPO, JJ1JGI, JK1EBA and JR1LYL will be active from the Ogasawara Islands (AS-031) in June. Look for them to be signing homecall/JD1 on 160-6 metres CW and SSB from Chichijima (JIIA AS-031-003) on 12-18 June and from Hahajima (JIIA AS-031-005) on 19-22 June. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX JI6KVR]

JD1\_oga - Look for JD1BLX (QSL via JI5USJ) and JD1BLY (QSL via JI5RPT) to be active from Chichijima (AS-031), Ogasawara on 10-16 August (http://www.ji5rpt.com/jd1/). They will operate CW, SSB and digital modes on 160-6 metres. [TNX JI5RPT]

JW - LA5LJA and LA7FJA plan to operate CW, SSB and RTTY as JW5LJA and JW7FJA from Spitsbergen Island (EU-026), Svalbard on 25-31 May. QSL via home calls. [TNX www.rsqbiota.org]

KH2 - Lee, HL1IWD (as KH2/K1IWD) and and Harry, WX8C (as KH2/WX8C) will be operating from Guam (OC-026) on 23-26 May, including a multi-single entry in the CQ WW WPX CW Contest as KH2/WX8C. QSL via home calls. [TNX WX8C]

KL - Hugh, K6HFA will be active again as K7A from three Alaskan IOTA groups as follows:

27 May-2 June Hinchinbrook Island NA-042
3-10 June Shumagin Group NA-087
12-18 June Neragon Island NA-241
He plans to operate CW (7016, 7041, 14018, 14041, 10112 and 18082 kHz) and SSB (7078, 14153 and 18122 kHz) with an amplifier and a vertical dipole

LY - Back in 1408 Kaunas received city rights under the Magdeburg Law; to celebrate the 600th anniversary, Sam/LY5W will be active as LY600W on 16-31 May. QSL via LY5W. [TNX LY5W]

array. QSL via K6HFA, direct or bureau. [TNX K6HFA]

LZ - Special station LZ08KM will be active on 1-31 May to celebrate St. Kiril and Methodius' Day. QSL via LZ1PJ, direct or bureau (e-mail requests for bureau cards can be sent to <a href="mailto:lz1pj@qsl.net">lz1pj@qsl.net</a>). Logs will be uploaded to LoTW. Further information at

http://www.grz.com/callsign/lz08km [TNX LZ1PJ]

OA - Daniel/DL5YWM, Rene/DL2JRM, Jens/DL3ALF and Jorge/OA4BHY will be active from Isla Blanca (SA-074) on 3-5 May. They plan to operate CW and SSB using two stations. [TNX DL5YWM]

OE - Marcel, ON6UQ and other six operators expect to participate in the CQ WW WPX CW Contest from the Vienna International Centre, 4U1VIC (this is a separate multiplier for the contest, but it is not a separate DXCC

Entity). [TNX ON6UQ]

OE - Special event station 4U1WED will be operated on 1-30 June by the Vienna International Amateur Radio Club (4U1VIC) celebrating the World Environment Day (5 June, <a href="http://www.unep.org/wed/">http://www.unep.org/wed/</a>). QSL via 4U1VIC. [TNX JH4RHF]

OH - Kent, SM5ELV will be active is his spare time as OH1/SM5ELV from Kuuskajaskari (EU-173) on 20-21 May. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX www.rsqbiota.org]

OH - DL5ME and DG3HWO will be active as OH2/DL5ME from Emsalo Island (EU-097) on 5-8 June. They plan to operate CW and SSB on 40, 30, 20 and 15 metres. QSL via DH5MM. [TNX DL5ME]

OJO - Pasi, OH3WS will be active as OJO/OG3A from Market Reef (EU-053) on 13-17 May. He plans to operate CW and SSB on 40-20 metres. QSL via OH3WS. [TNX The Daily DX]

OJO - OHORJ, OH3BHL, and OH2PM will be active as OJOJ (QSL via OH0RJ) and OJOB (QSL via OH2BH) from Market Reef between 21 and 26 May. Expect OJOB to participate in the CQ WW WPX CW Contest, and OJOJ to be QRV mainly on 12, 17 and 30 metres and RTTY during the contest hours. [TNX The Daily DX]

OJO - The early June Swedish activity from Market Reef [425DXN 881] has been cancelled and postponed to some time in August.

OK - Special event station OL1908D will be active through 31 May from the Czech Republic to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the railway of Dobruska. QSL via OK1KT, direct or bureau. [TNX OK1KT]

OZ - Fred, SM7DAY will be active as OZ/SM7DAY/p from Bornholm Island (EU-030) on 19-26 May. Expect him to operate CW and SSB on the HF bands. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX SM7DAY]

OZ - Arne, OZ1JVX will operate on 20 metres SSB as OZ1JVX/p from Lodbjerg lighthouse on Vensyssel-Thy (EU-171) on 31 May. QSL via bureau or direct. [TNX OZ7AEI]

OZ - Special event station OZ5FYN will be active on 1 June form the Museum of the Cold War (1947-89) on Langeland Island (EU-172). Expect activity on 80 metres and then on the higher bands until around 14.30 UTC; on 6 metres they will be on 50173, 50230 and 50510 kHz. [TNX OZ6OM]

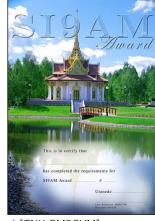
OY - Rag, LA6FJA and Arne, LA7WCA will be active as OY/homecall from Stromoy Island, Faroe Islands (EU-018) on 25-30 June. They plan to operate CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31 on 80-6 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. Their logs will be uploaded to LoTW. [TNX NG3K]

PA - Bill, ON5JE and Luk, ON4BB will be active from Schouwen Duiveland (EU-146) on 9-12 May. QSL via home calls. [TNX ON4BB]

PA - Special callsign PA143ITU will be aired on 15-30 May celebrating the 143th anniversary of ITU and the World Telecommunication Day (17 May). Expect activity

on 80, 40, 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10 metres CW and SSB, with some RTTY. PA143ITU will also participate in the CQ WW WPX CW Contest. QSL via PA3CAL. [TNX PG2AA]

SM - Jan, PAOIJM will be QRV from SI9AM (King Chulalongkorn Memorial Amateur Radio Society) in Utanede on 5-15 May. QSL via SM3CVM, direct or bureau (e-mail requests for bureau cards can be sent to <a href="mailto:info@si9am.se">info@si9am.se</a>). Further information can be



found at <a href="http://www.si9am.se/">http://www.si9am.se/</a> [TNX SM3CVM]

SM - Pierre/SA6AOA, Sten/SM6MIS, Rick/SM6U, Bengt/SM6UQL, Magnus/SM6WET, Tomas/SM6XMY and Janne/SM6YOF will be active with three stations as 856KOS from Nordkoster Island (EU-043) from 29 May

to 1 June. QSL via SM6WET, direct or bureau. [TNX SM6WET]

SM - DL5ME and DG3HWO will be active as SD2O from Holmon Island (EU-135) from 29 May and 2 June. They plan to operate CW and SSB on 40, 30, 20 and 17 metres. QSL via DL5ME (direct only for stations outside Germany). [TNX DL5ME]

SM - Bernd, DL8AAV will be active as SD1B/6 from Tjorn Island (EU-043) on 15-28 June. QSL via home call, direct or by the bureau. [TNX www.rsqbiota.org]

SP - SP9PLK, the club station of the 2nd Mechanized Corps "General Anders" of the Polish Land Forces, will be active as HF9GA on 14-29 May and again on 2-30 June. QSL via SP9PLK [TNX SP9BRP]

SV - Mike, DF3IS will be active as J48IS from Thassos Island (EU-174) on 23-28 May, CQ WW WPX CW Contest included. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX NG3K1

SV - DL7BMG, DL7VDC, DL7BW, DL7WS, and DL8RO will

be active as SY8B from Zakynthos Island (EU-052) on 1-6 June. They plan to operate SSB, CW and PSK31 mainly on 40, 30 and 20 metres, during the UTC early mornings and late afternoons. [TNX DXNL]

SV - The following twenty special callsigns will be aired from Greece on 14-22 June to celebrate the (nearly) 24 centuries elapsed since the birth of Alexander the Great (356 B.C.): SX24DRM, SX24ELI, SX24EVI, SX24EVR,

SX24FLR, SX24HLK, SX24IMA, SX24KLK, SX24KVL, SX24KYK, SX24KZN, SX24LRS, SX24MGN, SX24PEL, SX24PIE, SX24RDP, SX24SRS, SX24TSL, SX24VIO and SX24XAN. Expect activity on 160-6 metres CW, SSB, RTTY and BPSK. The QSL route for all of the callsigns is via SV2GWY. Further information, including the relevant awards, can be found at http://www.sx24macedonia.gr SV - Kostas (SV2CWV), Diana (SV2HRV), Archelaos (SV2KBB) and Kostas (SV2LBB) will be active as SX2MT

from the Royal Tombs Museum at Vergina, the capital of the ancient Makedonian kingdom, on 14-15 and 21-22 June for the International Museums Weekend

(http://www.ukradioamateur.co.uk/imw/). QSL direct only to SV2KBB. [TNX SV2KBB]

TA - TA1GR, TA1IG, TB1CGX, TB1CRN and TB1CRQ will be active as TC1ATA from Sile, Istanbul on 17-19 May, to commemorate the 89th anniversary of Mustafa Kemal Ataturk's arrival to Samsun, the city where he initiated the

War of Independence. Main activity will be on 20-40 metres. QSL via TA1KB. [TNX TA1HZ]



TA - Tevfik, TA1HZ will be active as TC40TRT on 31 May, to celebrate the 40th anniversary of the Turkish Radio and Television Corporation (Turkiye Radyo ve Televizyon Kurumu). Expect activity on 40,

20 and 17 metres. QSL via TA1HZ. A special TRT 40th Year postage stamp will be affixed on the envelopes for the first 40 direct QSLs. [TNX TA1HZ]

TA - Urcun, TAOU will be active as TC17GS on 1-15 June to celebrate the 17th title won by Galatasary SK in the national football (soccer) championship. QSL via home call. [TNX TAOU]

TF - Enrico, DL2VFR will be active (SSB, CW and RTTY) as TF/DL2VFR from Iceland (EU-021) between 9 and 19 June. On 10-12 June he will operate SSB and CW as

TF5/DL2VFR from the island of Hrisey (EU-168). QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]

TK - Dan, IK2UWA reports he will be active as TK/IK2UWA from Cavallo Island (EU-164) from 6-13 June. He plans to operate CW and SSB on 10-40 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau.

TT - Antonio Duarte Bebiano, CT1CPP is expected to be active soon as TT9/CT1CPP from Chad. He should remain in that country with the United Nations for one year. QSL via home call, direct only, [TNX CT1END]

UA - Nick/RA1QQ, Alexey/RA1QY and Dmitriy/RN3GM will be active from Krasny Bor Island (RRA RR 22-New, RDA VO-29) on 7-8 June. They plan to operate on 40-17 metres SSB and CW. QSL via home calls. [TNX RA1QY]

UA - Serge, RZ3AMW will be active as RZ3AMW/1 from Ryashkov Island (EU-162) from 15 June to 5 July. He plans to operate daily between 17 and 21 UTC, on 40 and 20 metres CW and SSB. [TNX RZ3ATE]

UR - Special callsign EM5UCC will be used during the

18th convention of the Ukrainian Contest Club (15-18 May). QSL via UY5ZZ. [TNX UY5ZZ]

UR - The Ukrainian Amateur Radio League (UARL) will be represented by EM5HQ in the IARU HF World Championship (12-13 July). QSL via UR5EAW (all of the contacts will be confirmed automatically via the bureau). A special certificate will be sent to stations making four QSOs. [TNX UR5EAW]

UR - Mike, UT9IO and Harry, UX3IW will be active as homecall/P from Zmeiniy Island (EU-182, UIA BS-07) from 20 July to 5 August. They will operate SSB, CW, RTTY and BPSK31 on 80-2 metres, and will take part in the IOTA Contest. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX UT9IO]

V4 - Reiner, DL2AAZ will be active as V4/9H3TI from Nevis Island (NA-104) from 25 May to 15 June. He will operate SSB and CW on 80-10 metres. QSL via DL2AAZ,

direct or bureau. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org] V6 - Pohnpei's only airport has been closed to international air traffic since 16 May, when a Boeing 727 failed to negotiate a successful landing and nosed down into the water at the end of the runway. Consequently, Shoji, JA7HMZ (V63DX) has had to cancel his planned 19-24 May operation from Micronesia [425DXN 887]. [TNX NG3K]

VE - Special event call sign VC3C will be aired from 1 June to 30 July to commemorate the 400th anniversary of the founding of Quebec City by Samuel

de Champlain. Amateur radio mobile units will activate many sites marking the passage of Champlain during his first voyage up the Ottawa River. QSL via VE3VIG, direct or bureau. Details on the activation of "The Champlain Trail" can be found at

http://www.geocities.com/vc3c400/VC3C.html

VE - Ken/VY2RU, Dick/VE1AI, Gary/VE1RGB, Scott/VE1QD, Howard/VE1DHD, and Ella/VE1PEI will be active as CI2PEI from McEwens Island (NA-029, CIsA PE-013) on 6-8 June. QSL via VE1FQ (bureau ) or VE1DHD (direct). [TNX VA3RJ]

VE - Juergen, DL7RV will be active as VO2/NF6J from Battle Island (NA-044) on 25-30 June. QSL via DL7RV. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]

VE - Chris, GM0TQJ will be active as VO2/GM0TQJ from Labrador during the period 23 September-2 October. He will be QRV on 80-10 metres RTTY, PSK31/63 and SSB. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX GM0TQJ]





Grosse-IIe (NA-128)

VE - Francois/VA2RC, Guy/VE2QRA, Steve/VE2TKH and Dany/VE2EBK will be active as CG2I from Grosse-Ile (NA-128, C.Is.A. PQ-010), Quebec from around 16 UTC on 25 July until around 14 UTC on the 27th. They will operate on all bands (6 metres included) and modes with two well equipped stations; during the IOTA Contest, a station will be dedicated to SSB/CW contest QSOs exclusively. QSL via VE2CQ. Further information can be found at <a href="https://www.qrz.com/cg2i">www.qrz.com/cg2i</a> [TNX VE2EBK]

VK9W - Gerd, DJ5IW and Robert, SP5XVY have joined the group of German operators who will be active as VK9DWX from Willis Island (OC-007) on 9-27 October [425DXN 872]. QSL via DJ2MX. They plan on having four stations with full legal power, operating at the same time and also on the same band in different modes, if necessary. Verticals will be used on all bands, with arrays from 80 to 10 metres and beverages for better receiving possibilities on the low bands. Operations on 6 metres are being considered, but the results might not be worth the effort - "let us know", they say, "how strong you would support a 6m operation" by leaving your comments on the DXpedition's website. Updates and further details, including information on how contribute to the expedition, can be found at <a href="https://www.vk9dwx.de">https://www.vk9dwx.de</a>

VP5 - Jim, WB2REM will be active as VP5/WB2REM on 2-12 July. He plans to operate CW and SSB on 160-6 metres. QSL via home call, direct only. [TNX WB2REM] VP2M - Graham, M0AEP will be active on 80-6 metres as VP2MDD from Montserrat (NA-103) on 7-19 June. QSL via M0AEP, direct or bureau. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org] VR - Celebrating the Games of the XXIX Olympiad to be held in Beijing, the Hong Kong Amateur Radio DX Association has been granted permission to operate special event station VR2008O from 15 July to 31 August. Expect activity on 40-6 metres, mainly SSB, RTTY and PSK31. QSL direct only to VR2XMT. [TNX F5NOL]

VR - To celebrate the upcoming Beijing Olympic 2008, the Equestrian event and the Hong Kong Island Scout Olympic, special event station VR2S will be active from 11 May to 15 August. QSL via VR2HKS. [TNX VR2XNG] W - N5D will be the callsign for "The Unusual Suspects" group's activity from the Cedar Creek Ranch (Tarpley,

TX) on 16-17 May. See <a href="http://web.mac.com/ke5kxu/">http://web.mac.com/ke5kxu/</a> [TNX KE5KXU]

W - Look for Jay, NS4J to operate on 20 and 40 metres as NS4J/p from Emerald Isle (NA-112) between 2 and 7 June. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX VA3RJ] W - Look for Doug, KF4VTT to be active as KF4VTT/p from Key West (NA-062) between 4 and 10 June. QSL

via home call. [TNX VA3RJ]

XX9 - Tomas, LY1F (VK2CCC) will be active from Macao on 27-29 May (callsign to be issued upon arrival). He

plans to emphasize CW and the low bands. QSL via operator's instructions. [TNX The Daily DX]

YN - Eric, K9GY has changed his destination for the CQ WW WPX CW Contest. He will be active as H7/K9GY from Nicaragua, not as C6AYM [425DXN 889]. "I was originally scheduled to go to C6", he says, "but the hotel wanted to charge an extra \$150 for roof access so I said no thanks and then booked Nicaragua". [TNX NG3K]

ZF - Jim, W6NRJ will operate holiday style (from the beach) as ZF2LJ from Grand Cayman (NA-016) on 17-22 May. He will emphasize 30, 12 and 17 metres as propagation permits. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. Jim will be joined by Dennis, N6KD (ZF2KD, QSL via home call) who will operate CW and SSB from 16 to 23 May. [TNX NG3K]

ZS8 - Petrus, ZS6GCM has been on Marion Island for one month [425DXN 883] and the staff takeover period is now completed. The latest information bulletin, dated 28 April (<a href="http://zs8t.net/">http://zs8t.net/</a>), stated that Petrus was "planning on starting construction of the antennas this week and will be QRV as ZS8T by 9 May". [TNX ZS6DXB]

CARIBBEAN TOUR I Freddy, F5IRO and David, F8CRS will be active holidaystyle from Guadeloupe and Martinique on 4-21 August. Their main QTH will be Les Saintes Islands (NA-114), where they will operate as T08S (4-17 August) with two stations. Expect them to be QRV on 80-10 metres mainly CW, with some SSB and RTTY. A 3-4-day side trip to Guadeloupe (NA-102) as FG/homecalls ispossible during that time frame. On 18-21 August they will operate as FM/homecalls from Martinique (NA-107) with one station. QSLs via F8CRS, direct or bureau. [TNX F5NQL]









#### CQ WW WPX CW CONTEST

The following stations have announced their participation in this year's event (24-35 May):

Call	Category	DXCC	QSL
3D2A	M/2	Fiji Islands	VK4AN
3V8SS	SOSB 80m	Tunisia	IZ8FWN
4L0A	SOAB HP	Georgia	UU4JMG
5P5X	30AB TIF	Denmark	OZ1ETA
5R8UO	SO		DF8UO
6Y1V	M/2	Madagascar	
8P2T	SO	Jamaica	OH3RB
	_	Barbados	GOTSM
9A/VE3ZIK	SO	Croatia	DO7ZZ
9M1CSP	11/0	West Malaysia	9M2TO
AN7B	M/?	Spain	EA7BB
B4TB	M/S	China	BA4TB
CS2T	SOAB	Portugal	CT1ILT
CS9L	SOAB HP	Madeira	DJ6QT
CT9M	M/S	Madeira	CT3EE
CW5W	SOAB	Uruguay	CX6VM
CW7T	SOAB HP	Uruguay	K5WW
D4C	SOAB HP	Cape Verde	IZ4DPV
E77DX	M/2	Bosnia-Herz.	OE1EMS
			or T98U
EE2W	M/?	Spain	EB2BXL
EE8Z	SOAB	Canary Islands	VE3HO
EF8M	SOAB HP	Canary Islands	RX3DU
ES9C	M/2	Estonia	ES5RY
H7/K9GY		Nicaragua	LoTw
II1H	M/S	Italy	I1HJT
IR9Y	M/S	Italy (Sicily)	IT9ABY
J48IS		Greece	DF3IS
J49XF	SOAB LP	Crete	G3URA
JT1BV	SOAB HP	Mongolia	JT1BV
KH2/WX8C	M/S	Guam	WX8C
LN3Z	M/S	Norway	LA9VDA
LXORL	M/2	Luxembourg	LX1KQ
LX7I	M/2	Luxembourg	LX2A
LY7A			LY2ZO
LZ9W	M/M	Bulgaria	LZ9W
M7A M/S		England	MONRC
MJOLON	SOAB HP	Jersey	DF1LON

Call	Category	DXCC	QSL
OG8X	M/S	Finland	
OHOJ	SOSB 10m	Aland Islands	OH1RX
OH0Z	SOAB (?)	Aland Islands	WOMM
OJ0B	SOAB	Market Reef	OH2BH
OL7R	M/2	Czech Republic	OK1WMV
OP5T	SOAB LP	Belgium	ON5UM
P33W	M/S	Cyprus	RA3AUU
PA143ITU		The Netherlands	PA3CAL
PA6Z	M/M	The Netherlands	PA9M
PJ2T	SOAB HP	Neth. Antilles	N9AG
PR5W	SOAB HP	Brazil	PY5FB
PS2T	SOAB HP	Brazil	K3IRV
PT4C		Brazil	PY4CEL
RL6YXX		EU Russia	N3SL
TC37F	M/?	Turkey	LZ1NK
TC3D	SOAB	Turkey	TA3D
TF3CW	SOSB 20m	Iceland	LX1NO
TMOR	M/S	France	F5GGL
TM4Q	M/S	France	F6FYA
TM5CW		France	F5SJB
TM5W	M/S	France	F5KIN
VB3E		Canada	VA3RVK
VC2M		Canada	VE2TZT
VP5E	SO	Turks & Caicos	KOOK
VP9/VE3DZ	SOAB LP	Bermuda	VE3DZ
WP3C	SOAB LP	Puerto Rico	W3HNK
XR3A		Chile	CE3DNP
XW1B	SOSB 20m	Laos	E21EIC
YE1ZAT	M/S	Indonesia	YE1ZAT
YW4D	SOAB HP	Venezuela	EA7JX
ZD7X	SO LP	St. Helena	WOMM
ZD8RH SO LP		Ascension Isl	G4DBW
ZF2AM SOAB		Cayman Islands	K6AM
ZM2M	M M/2 New Zealand		ZL2AL
ZY7C	M/S	Brazil	PT7WA

Do not forget to give a look at the Announced Operations listing maintained by Bill, NG3K at <a href="http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/wpxs2008.html">http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/wpxs2008.html</a> - good contest to you all!





## **GOOD TO KNOW**

8R1WD I "Following on from my recent e-mail informing of the passing of Peter, 8R1J", says Phil Whitchurch (G3SWH), "some helpful soul has taken it upon himself to amend the entry on QRZ.com to show that Peter, 8R1WD had become a 'silent key'. To quote Mark Twain, reports of Peter's death are very much exaggerated and neither was he too pleased to learn of his passing!" Phil has managed to get the entry on QRZ.com corrected.

ADXO ENHANCEMENT I Bill, NG3K (Bill@ng3k.com) recently made a functional improvement to his ADXO (Announced DX Operations) listing (http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/adxo.html). Active operations now include a link to the DX Watch spot database. The link is located beneath the call sign in the Call field for most active DX operations listed in ADXO. A user clicking on [spots] will view a real-time list of recent DX Cluster spots for the call in question. DX Watch (www.dxwatch.com) is an innovative second generation DX spotting application that integrates data from packet cluster, grz.com, and 425 DX News.

ANTARCTIC CRUISE I Mehdi Escoffier, F5PFP says the amateur radio Antarctic cruise [425DXN 866] is confirmed to take place between 18 February and 17 March 2009. Plans are to visit and operate from several Antarctic bases located in the South Shetlands (AN-010) and Palmer Archipelago (AN-012), as well as on the Antarctic mainland (AN-016). If interested in participating in this adventure, please e-mail Mehdi (f5pfp@aliceadsl.fr) or visit <a href="http://f6kdf.ath.cx/f5nod/ITNXF5PFP">http://f6kdf.ath.cx/f5nod/ITNXF5PFP</a>]

#### ARI INTERNATIONAL DX CONTEST

I The Associazione Radioamatori Italiani (ARI) invites amateur radio operators and SWLs all over the world to participate in the 2008 A.R.I. International DX Contest, which will take place on 3-4 May (from 20 UTC on Saturday thorugh 19.59 UTC on Sunday). Full information, free software included, can be found at www.gsl.net/contest ari

I An unexpected routing malfunction has occourred for the submission of the ARI Internation DX Contest logs to ARI's central system. While waiting for the problem to be fixed, and in order to avoid loosing logs, please note: - if you have already submitted your log, but have not received the expected automatic acknowledgement of receipt, please re-submit your log to <aricontest@kkn.net>; - in the Subject line please enter the callsign used during the Contest and the category (e.g. IT9BLB SOMIX, SOSSB, SOCW, SORTTY, MO, SWL). The Contest Manager will confirm the log has been

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received, but the acknowledgement will not be immediate - please be patient! [TNX IT9BLB, ARI HF Contest Manager]

DXCC CHALLENGE I The new DXCC DeSoto Cup Challenge winner for 2007 is Fausto Minardi, I4EAT (3129 band points). Second and third place medals have been earned by W4DR (3124) and OZ1LO (3119). Other sixteen

operators have now exceeded the 3000 level (see <a href="http://www.arrl.org/awards/dxcc/listings/desoto-cup.html">http://www.arrl.org/awards/dxcc/listings/desoto-cup.html</a>).

EMERGENCY TRAFFIC IN CHINA I Following the catastrophic earthquake that hit Wenchuan County, Sichuan Province (BY8) on 12 May, the Chinese Radio Sports Association (CRSA) has requested that 7050, 7060 and 14270 kHz should be kept clear for Amateur Radio Emergency Service traffic.

EUROPEAN CASTLES DAY I The seventh edition of the European Castles Day will take place on 18 May between 6 and 16 UTC. Several stations are expected to operate from fortresses and castles in France, Belgium, Germany, Italy, Spain, Portugal, United Kingdom and Switzerland. Information on the event can be found on Jean-Pierre's (F6FNA) web site at <a href="https://f6fna.club.fr/jecruleanglais.html">https://f6fna.club.fr/jecruleanglais.html</a>

GEOPARKS WEEK I A number of special event stations will be active for the European Geoparks Week (21 May-6 June). GB6GEO will be on the air from Kent's Cavern in Torquay, English Riviera Global Geopark (24-25 May) [425DXN 883]; other European stations include GB1GEO (Worcester Geopark), GB2GEO (Smoo Cave Geopark, Scotland) and DK0GEO. Activity is also expected to take place from Geoparks in Greece and Ireland. [TNX G3VOF]

ITALY GAINS NEW FREQUENCIES I Effective 13 May 2008, Italian amateur radio operators are authorized to use 7100-7200 kHz (for the time being on a secondary basis) using a total radiated power not exceeding 24 dbW. [TNX IZOFMA]

JAPAN: NEW BAND PRIVILEGES I Effective 28 April, amateur radio operators from Japan have gained more privileges on the 80/75 metres band and are now allowed to operate on the following frequencies: 3500-3575 kHz, 3599-3612 kHz (new), 3680-3687 kHz (new), 3702-3716 kHz (new), 3745-3770 kHz (3745-3747 kHz and 3754-3770 kHz new) and 3791-3805 kHz. [TNX JARL]

LOGS I On-line logs for HG80HQ (QSL via HA7PL), HA80MRASZ (QSL via HA1DAE) and HG80MRASZ (QSL via HA1DAE) can be found at http://ha1dae.atw.hu . These special event stations will be celebrating the 80th anniversary of the Hungarian Radio



Amateur Society (MRASZ) until the end of the year. Information on the relevant award can be found at <a href="http://www.mrasz.hu">http://www.mrasz.hu</a> [TNX HA1DAE]

MUSEUM SHIPS WEEKEND I Sponsored by the Battleship New Jersey Amateur Radio Station (NJ2BB), this year's Museum Ships Weekend will be held from 00.01 UTC on 7 June until 23.59 UTC on the 8th. Information on the event, including the relevant certificate and the listing of participating ships, can be found at <a href="https://www.nj2bb.org/">https://www.nj2bb.org/</a>



NEW DX SUMMIT I Conceived, operated and maintained by Yasme Excellence Award recipients OH2BUA and OH5TB, the OH2AQ DX Summit has been a reliable tool for DX spotting for ten years. It was based on a concept and the computing power of those other days, and will close down soon. The New DX Summit, operated by Arcala Extremes (OH8X) and supported by Yasme Foundation Inc., boasts a dramatic increase in

computing power - traffic congestion should be a thing of the past! Bookmark http://www.dxsummit.fi [TNX OH2BN]



NDXA DX BANQUET I The "2008 DXers Banquet" will be held in Tokyo on 23 August, in conjunction with the annual Ham Fair. Complete information can be found on the Nippon DX Association's website

(<a href="http://www.ndxa.net/modules/news/">http://www.ndxa.net/modules/news/</a>) [TNX JA1DFK]

Paolo/I2UIY, Dick/K6KR and ON THE ROAD I Rusty/W6OAT have been travelling through Canada and the US since 1 May and have now arrived in Dayton. Their journal with several pictures can be found at www.i2uiy.it/usa2008.htm

OPERATOR NEEDED I Two Papua New Guinea's rare IOTA groups (OC-181 and OC-041) will be activated between 18 October and 4 November [425DXN 883]. and "due to a cancellation we can accommodate one more person", Derek, G3KHZ says. If interested in joining the team, please contact (g3khz@derekcox.plus.com). Derek, G3KHZ says "due to a cancellation we can accommodate one more person". If interested in joining the team, please contact him.

QSL GALLERY I The large collection of QSL cards (more than 5400) on Les Nouvelles DX's web site has been updated. Twelve different galleries include cards for the ten Most Wanted DXCC Entities (220+ QSLs), the 58 deleted DXCC entities (850+ QSLs), obsolete prefixes (2140+ QSLs), stations from Magrebh from 1947 to 1962 (240+ QSLs), Antarctic bases (670 QSLs) & TAAF (Terres Australes and Antarctiques Françaises, 230+ QSLs), the various French DXCC island Entities in the Pacific Ocean (180+ QSLs) & the Indian Ocean (90+ QSLs), pre-1945 countries (410+ QSLs), French Departments (430 QSLs) and USA (40+ QSLs) plus a gallery for cards not accepted by DXCC (80+ QSLs). Several cards are still needed and your participation is

encouraged visit please http://LesNouvellesdx.fr and send send comments your to lesnouvellesdx@free.fr [TNX F6AJA]

QSL VIA 5B4AHO I Due to his impending return to the UK, George, 5B4AGC is no longer QSL manager for Pafos Radio Club. The new QSL manager for 5B4PRC, C4EU and C4EURO is 5B4AHO (Barry Carter, P.O. Box 79, Pegeia, 8560 Paphos, Cyprus). Cards that have already been sent via the bureau to 5B4AGC will be automatically

forwarded to 5B4AHO. All direct requests for these calls have been responded to. [TNX 5B4AHJ]

QSL VIA RN3RQ I The Michurinsk Contest Group (UA3R) was recently active as RP63RQ, RP63RTK, RP3RST and RP3RZK. QSL via RN3RQ, direct or bureau. The logs will be uploaded to LoTW in June. RN3RQ can also confirm contacts made with UA3RAR, RX3RXX and RP3RTK after 1 January 2002. E-mail requests can be sent to <a href="mailto:rn3rq@tamb.ru">rn3rq@tamb.ru</a> (but please note that on 1 March 2008 he sent some 12,000 cards to the bureau). [TNX RN3RQ]

QSL VIA RW3GW I Valery, RW3GW/3, says his new address for QSLling is: Valery Sushkov, P.O. Box 88, Moscow 101000, Russia. He suggests not to send "green stamps", but to use IRCs instead. He is the QSL manager

for the following calls: 4K1RRC, 4K2RRC, 4K3/RW3GW (EU-082), 4K3GW (EU-161), 4K3OMM (EU-035), 4K3RRC, 4K3WQ (EU-162), 4K4DV (AS-29), 4K5RRC (1993), 5B4/RW3GW (AS-004), 5H2VS, 5H2VS/P, CE8/R3RRC, CE9/R3RRC, EA6/RW3GW (EU-004), OX/NA1SA (2007), R100R (EU-133), R1FJV (EU-19), R3IOTA, R3IOTA/MM, R3AA/9 (AS-109), R3RRC/AM, R3RRC/ANT, R3RRC/MM, R7C, R7C/ANT, R7C/TF (2006), RI0B (AS-156), RI3OTA/AM, RS0B (AS-042), RS0B/P (AS-068), RV3GW/1 (EU-161) RW3GW/0 (AS-005), RW3GW/6 (EU-185), RW9OWM/0 (AS-066, AS-114), RZ3AZO/1 (EU-162), SU1HR (WPX SSB 2001), UAOKAH (AS-038), UAOKAH/A (AS-065).

QSL VIA YB9BU I Kadek is now the QSL manager for YC7IPZ (OC-166), YC8RSW/p (OC-236), YC8TXW (OC-210), YC8TXW/p (OC-022 and OC-236), YC8UFF/p (OC-236), YC8XNE (OC-076) and YC8XWJ (OC-076). [TNX Mediterraneo DX Club]

ROCKALL (EU-189) I Mike, K9AJ was unable to operate from Rockall [425DXN 888], because although the sea state itself was slight to moderate, the incoming swell kept battering off Rockall and made it impossible to land. [TNX MMONDX]

RSGB QSL BUREAU I The new address for the Radio Society of Great Britain's QSL Bureau is: RSGB QSL Bureau, P.O. Box 5, Halifax, HX1 9JR, England (telephone 01422-359362).

TOP LISTS I The latest Topband, Topmode and Toplist are now available http://www.425dxn.org/awards/toplist/index.html. Please note that QSOs confirmed through LoTW or included in on-line logs are now eligible for listing. Send send your scores, as well as any request for further information, to Erminio Pandocchi, I2EOW (<u>i2eow@ari.it</u>)

VK1AA/2 (OC-223) I Nick, VK1AA logged 1,716 QSOs, mainly on 40 and 30 metres running 75 watts into home made vertical, during his 17-20 April activity from

Montague Island (OC-223). A few pictures and the video can be found at www.vk1aa.com [TNX VK1AA]

WAE60 MARATHON I On 26 August 1948 W2IOP received the first "Worked All Europe" award. The DARC Committee DX and HF Contesting (www.darcdxhf.de) invites amateur radio operators worldwide to celebrate this 60th anniversary during the WAE Marathon that will take place from 9 August (begin of WAEDC CW) to 14 September (end of WAEDC SSB).

Complete information can be found at http://wae60.de [TNX DL2VFR]

WPX CONTEST DIRECTOR I Randy Thompson, K5ZD has been named Director of the CQ World Wide WPX Contests, effective immediately. Randy succeeds Steve Merchant, K6AW, who has been WPX Contest Director since 2002 and who needed to step aside due to business obligations. Any questions regarding the 2008 WPX Contests (SSB weekend was held last March; CW weekend is coming up at the end of May) should be directed to Randy (k5zd@cqwpx.com).

ZS8T I According to the latest Marion Island update posted on 13 May, Petrus "is very aware that the world is waiting for him to be QRV, but important matters in running the camp (he is in charge of the operation down

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there) are taking up his waking hours. Petrus is there for 11 more months and there will be plenty of time for DXing once these issues are resolved". Bookmark <a href="http://zs8t.net/">http://zs8t.net/</a> for further updates.

#### **DXCC NEWS**

- I YA/LY1Y (operations in 2006 and 2007) has been approved for DXCC credit. If you had cards rejected for this operation, send an e-mail to <a href="mailto:dxcc@arrl.org">dxcc@arrl.org</a> to be placed on the list for an update. [TNX NC1L]
- I TI9KK (Cocos Island, 2008 operations) has been approved for DXCC credit. If you had cards rejected for this operation send an e-mail to <a href="mailto:dxcc@arrl.org">dxcc@arrl.org</a> to be placed on the list for an update. [TNX NC1L]



#### SILENT KEYS



I Recently reported Silent Keys include Igor Falster (DL1EE), Iwan Thomas Halasz (PY2AH), Vladimir N. Goncharsky (U5WF), Robert J. Thibert (W9ARV) and Ivan M. Lesiv, JWOHS (UX1MS, ex

UR5MVM), who lost his life on 17 April after a fire broke out 450 metres below ground in a coal mine at Barentsburg, Svalbard. The fire caused the death of another worker, while twenty-nine miners were safely evacuated.

- I Finn, OZ7YY reports the very sad news of the sudden passing of Torben Loevenhoej, OZ1TL (A52TL), who died of a massive heart attack on 2 May in his hotel room in Katmandu. "Torben had been invited by the King of Bhutan", Finn says, and "was looking very much forward to this DXpedition". Other recently reported SIlent Keys include Stuart "Stu" Santelmann (KC1F), Maj. Gen. (ret.) Rustom Zal Kabraji (VU2BK), Armand De Fusco (W1WKO) and Zivko Trendafilovski (Z31CM).
- I Dr Ronald A. Parise, WA4SIR, passed away on 9 May at 57 years of age. The Amateur Radio on the International Space Station programme is "deeply indebted to WA4SIR for his leadership, technical advice and tremendous vision", ARISS Chairman Frank H. Bauer, KA3HDO says. "His accomplishments were many, including space explorer, pioneer, astrophysicist, pilot, ham radio operator, avionics and software expert, inspirational speaker and motivator, student satellite mentor, husband, father and friend".

#### CQ HALLS OF FAME

The CQ Amateur Radio Hall of Fame was established in January 2001 to recognize individuals - radio amateurs or not - who significantly affected the course of Amateur Radio, as well as radio amateurs who have made significant contributions either to amateur radio, to their professional careers or to some other aspect of life on our planet. This year's inductees are:

Gaston Bertels, ON4WF L.B. Cebik, W4RNL (SK) Gordon England, ex-W3AWO Adm. Edmund Giambastiani, N4OC Gerald Griffin, MD, K6MD Larnelle Harris, WD4LZC Lenore Jensen, W6NAZ (SK) John Kanzius, K3TUP Charles (Chip) Margelli, K7JA Philip S. Rand, W1DBM (SK) Vice Adm. Scott Redd (Ret.), K0DQ/A92Q Dr. Tony Tether, K2TGE Dr. Hamadoun I. Toure, HB9EHT Dr. John Townsend, W3PRB

The CQ Contest Hall of Fame was established in 1986 to recognize Amateur Radio operators who have made major contributions to contesting. This year's inductees are Paolo Cortese (I2UIY) and Randy Thompson (K5ZD).

The CQ DX Hall of Fame was established in 1967 to recognize major contributions by DXers. This year's inductees are John Devoldere (ON4UN), Nellie Saltiel de Lazard (XE1CI) and Bob Schenck (N2OO).





## **QSL ROUTES**

From 425 DX News # 888 From 425 DX News # 890

CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3Z0KK	SP3FUK	HZ1MD	EA7FTR	RP1A	RZ1AWF
3Z0TGP	SP9PDG	IF9A	IT9ATF	RP1ADB	RZ1AXL
4L4WW	EA7FTR	IIOALE	IW0EFA	RP1CC	RV1CC
4Z60TL	4Z4TL	II4SM	I4PZP	RP1CKK	RX1CQ
5B4AHI	RX3RC	IQ8OM	IZ8EDJ	RP1K	RV1AQ
5C5W	EA5XX	IR3IPY	IZ3DBA	RP1L	RZ1AWO
5X7FN	DC7NF	IR8DX	IK8VRH	RP1N	RN1NU
5Z4ES	K3IRV	IR8PS	I8ACB	RP1VIC	RV1AC
6L0OX	HL0NHQ	IYOIMD	IK0WGF	RP3ABT	RA3BT
6L0VH	DS5QLJ	IY0ORP	IZ0BTV	RP3D	RA3FO
7S50S	SM6EGJ	IY0TC	IOKHP	RP3DJY	UA3DJY
9A0CI	DE0MST	IY1SP	I1SAF	RP3EOD	RU3EJ
9A70LPC	9A7KM	IY1TTM	IW1RIK	RP3EPS	RZ3EC
9A73AA	9A2AA	IY5PIS	IZ5DMC	RP3GKK	RN3GM
9H3ZQ	DF7JP	JT1PA	DJ5PA	RP3K	UA3QDX
9K2/SP4R	SP4GFG	JT1SNY	IOSNY	RP3LPM	RZ3LC
9M2IDJ	JA6IDJ	KH0TH	JL1UTS	RP3QWK	N2UCK
9N7WU	JA8MWU	LZ08KM	LZ1PJ	RP3RST	RN3RQ
A41MX	EB7DX	MJ0MJH	M0MJH	RP3RTF	UA3RQG
A61I	IZ8CLM	MS0DGR	MM0DFV	RP3UNN	RK3UWA
BY7KP/7	BY7IFJ	MX0IRN	G4IRN	RP3V	RK3VWA
CQ4IPY	CT1BWW	MX0NRC	M3UNN	RP3WKB	RK3WWA
CW1GM	CX2ABC	NP3CW	EB7DX	RP3YGA	RV3YR
DA0SAR	DK8VR	OA4BHY/3	DL2JRM	RP3ZOR	RK3ZZM
DM152ZYA	DJ7AL	OD5PL	HB9CRV	RP4H	RW4HB
E73MMM	E73TW or K2PF	OE2008AAI	OE7AAI	RP4HRT	RZ4HXM
ED1PVB	EA1URS	OE2008AVC	OE1AVC	RP4M	UA4LU
EE1TR	EA1YG	OE2008B	OE7SPI	RP4P	RA4PO
EG4DCM	EA4CT	OE2008BZL	OE2BZL	RP4PR	RW4PL
EM40EKR	UT4EK	OE2008C	OE4RGC	RP4W	RK4WWF
EO63I	UR6IM	OE2008CMI	OE7CMI	RP63DWM	RN3BR
EO63JM	K2PF	OE2008D	OE4SWA	RP63P	R3AWA
EO63JS	UU9CW	OE2008DXA	OE3DXA	RP63X	UA9XC
EO63MF	UR0MM	OE2008E	OE7XKJ	RP6A	RA6AU
EO63X	UT3XX	OE2008FMH	OE7FMH	RP6Y	RA6YJ
EP4SP	OK1DOT	OE2008GOA	OE1GOA	RP6YW	UA6YW
EV5C	EW3AA	OE2008GQA	OE1GQA	RP9A	UA9APA
EW6GF	DL8KAC	OE2008I	OE7XCI	RP9J	RV9JD
GB0GFH	M0CNP	OE2008ICI	OE9ICI	RP9JGS	RK9JYY
GB2BST	MOXIG	OE2008JTB	OE1JTB	RP90MP	RZ9OJ
GB4MDI	GW0ANA	OE2008KLW	OE1KLW	RP9X	UA9XC
GB6MD	GM4FDM	OE2008KYG	OE6KYG	S50IPY	S51RU
GB8GM	MODOL	OE2008L	OE5FSL	SI9AM	SM3CVM
GS3PYE/P	G4HUN	OE2008MBB	OE1MBB	SJ9WL	LA4EKA
GS4MWS/p	2E0DOD	OE2008MDF	OE6MDF	SN0DO	SQ2CFL
HA80MRASZ	HA1DAE	ОЕ2008ОНО	OE5OHO	SN0TGP	SP8ZKX
HB2008A	HB9SVT	ОЕ2008ОНО	OE5OHO	SO9Q	SP9QMP
HB2008GE	HB9IBG	OE2008P	OE8SPW	SY2G	SV2JAO
HB2008HQ	HB9SVT	OE2008PKV	OE9PKV	SY2V	SV2GJV
HB2008J	нв9екв	OE2008R	OE9SEI	SZ8L	SV3GKE
HB2008MM	HB9DTE	OE2008REO	OE5REO	TK7C	F9IE
HB20080K	HB90CR	OE2008RI	OE5RI	TM3RCH	F8KHN
HB2008P	HB9DUQ	OE2008SMC	OE1SMC	UE3DDX/3	RZ3FR
HB2008Q	нв9енј	OE2008SSU	OE1SSU	UE3EDA	RZ3EC
HB2008S	HB9AOF	OE2008TAV	OE9TAV	UE4CMS	RW4CM
HB2008X	HB9DLO	OE2008U	OE3GCU	UE80MC	UA9MC
HB2008Z	HB3YIG	OE2008VIE	OE4VIE	UE80MD	UA9MD
HC2SL	EA5KB	OE2008WOQ	OE8WOQ	UE9RDA	RK9QWW
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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
HC8/UT5UY	UT5UY	OE2008WRO	OE5WRO	VE7NARA	VE7FCO
HC8/UX0HX	UX0HX	OE2008XQC	OE1WHC	W3S	KA3UNQ
HC8/UZ1HZ	UZ1HZ	OE2008Z	OE7XWI	W8H	W8KJ
HF16PZK	SP9PNB	OH2DZ/P	UA1ANA	YB4IPY	I0YKN
HF30KVW	SP5KVW	OL1908D	OK1KT	YI9WV	NI5DX
HG1848I	назнк	OL550KJ	OK2KR	YM0TA	TA1ED
HI3K	KB2MS	OL600VB	OK2JS	YP9W	YO9WF
HP#/JA6REX	JA6REX	PY100JA	PY2PA	ZD8N	G3ZVW
HS0AC	HS0ZFZ	R245GS	RL3AB	ZF2GU	DL7VOG

CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
2EOPLA	N2RJ [a]	EM5UCC	UY5ZZ	RA9LI/9	UA9LP
2E0PLA	ON4IQ [b]	ER5GB	W3HNK	RP3ABB	RA3BB
3A2MG	F9JS	FM5WE	K4FJ	RP3AM	RK3AWA
3D2A	VK4AN	GB1SRI	OM5FM	RP3GAZ	RN3GA
3V8SS	IZ8FWN	GB50RMM	G0FYX	RP3RZK	RN3RQ
4J7WMF	RX3RC	GB6MW	G4DFI	RP3XMV	UA3XAC
4K9W	DL6KVA	HA800LP	HA0LP	RP63RQ	RN3RQ
4L1FP	LZ1OT	OMO08AH	HA0MO	RP63RTK	RN3RQ
4L3Y	DK6CW	HA800NAR	HA0NAR	RP63XO	RA9XF
4L4C	DJ1CW	HA801CW	HA1CW	RP6DSR	RA6DE
4L8A	K1BV	HA809PN	HA9PN	S21B	KX7YT
4U1UN	HB9BOU	HB10DX	HB9AGH	S52X	NI5DX
4X60ID	4Z5LA	HB2008AL	HB9AL	SJ60BE	SM5KNV
4X60ISR	4Z5LA	HB2008UU	HB9AOF	SN65GETTO	SP5UHW
4Z8BB	WC1X	HF0POL	SP3WVL	SU8AFR	SU1KM
5B8AD	W3HNK	HF9GA	SP9PLK	SV0JD/8	DL6NBA
5X1DX	PA7FM	HL0LPM/2	6K2BWA	SX1L	DL1JCZ
6Y1AY	XE1AY	HR9BFS	AI4U	TC1ATA	TA1KB
7X3WDK	EA5KB	IC8R	IC8OZM	TC37F	LZ1NK
7Z1HL	DJ9ZB	IF9LI	IT9FXY	TMOIL	IZ1HGM
7Z1HL	DJ9ZB	IF9Z	IT9YMM	TM0LOR	F6KFT
7Z1SJ	EA7FTR	II1PJR	IZ1JIZ	TM1LOR	F8KGY
7Z1UG	DG1XG	II5MDC	IK2VUC	TM2LOR	F6KF0
8J3GOSE	JA3ZNJ	II8MDC	IK2VUC	тмзков	F5KOB
8P9TS	GOTSM	II9LXCT	IT9VCE	TM4DGJ	F5KFF
8Q7DW	DL5EBE	IO1WWC	IQ1IV	TM5B	F5XX
8S0ITU	SM0EXP	IO3MDC	IK2VUC	TM5EL	F6KHI
9A/006N	ON6KN	IO9MDC	IK2VUC	TM5TC	F6KGI
9A/VE3ZIK	DO7ZZ	IQ8MD	IK2VUC	TP2CE	F5LGF
9M4SAB	9M6TW	IQ9PA	IT9TQH	TY5ZR	IK2IQD
9M6/KE5CNK	DS4NMJ	IROMDC	IK2VUC	UE3SPK	RK3SWS
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A45WD	YO9HP	IR8MDC	IK2VUC	UN7QF	EX2A
A52K	JA1CG	IR8TRT	IK8MRA	UN7OX	W7BO
AM1S	EA1OS	IR9GI	IT9TQH	UU0A	UU0JX
AN5N	EA5FX	IR9MDC	IK2VUC	V55SRT	IZ8EDJ
AO7T	EA7KJ	JW5NM	LA5NM	VR10AJ	VR2AJ
AYODX	LU3DR	KB70BU/KH2	JA3VXH	VR10UW	VR2UW
BT10B	BA4EG	LY600W	LY5W	VR10VAC	VR2VAC
BT10B BT10H	BA4EG	LY999X	LY3X	VR10VAC VR10XLN	VR2VAC VR2XLN
BT10J	BA4EG BA4EG	M/F5KEE/P	F8ATS wanny	VR10XMT	VR2XMT VR2HKS
BT1ON		NP4A	W3HNK	VR2S	
BT10Y	BA4EG	OA4TT	N6XQ	XE3RBA	EB7DX
BY1TTY	BG1LLB	OE2008FWV	OE9FWV	YI1OM	IK2DUW
CO6WD	8P9NX	OE2008HMC	OE1HMC	YI9NYC	N9NYC
CO8LY	EA7ADH	OE2008PGQ	OE8PGQ	YI9SV	N4JR
CP6AA	IK6SNR	OE2008PMI	OE7PMI	YR1C	YO4NA
E73MMM	E73TW	OHOCO	SM6CCO	YU8/LZ1BJ	LZ1BJ
E74EBL	T98U	OJ0/OG3A	OH3WS	ZD8RH	G4DBW
E77AA	9A2AA	OK4RQ	OK1DRQ	ZF2KD	N6KD
EA9EU	EA5KB	OL5COTA	OK2SJI	ZF2LJ	W6NRJ

CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	
EF8T	EA8BEX	OS0S	ON4ZD	ZL7M	VK2CZ	
EG1BGP	EC1KR	OZ1RDP	DL9BCP	ZM80WB	ZL2AOH	
EG4FSI	EA4RCU	PA143ITU	PA3CAL	ZP8VAO	EA7FTR	
EG5Y	EA5CY	R35NP	RW1AI	ZS4U	K3IRV	
EG7CDG	EA7DK	R90LPU	RX1CQ	ZS6MAL	ZS6SRL	
[a] North America [b] Others						

QSLs received direct or through managers: 1A3A, 1A4A, 3A/EA1DVY, 3B7C, 3B8CF, 3B8GL, 3C0CW, 3D2AG/p, 3D2CI, 3D2MT, 3Y0C, 4J9NM, 4L8A, 4O3B, 4O60BH, 4U1ITU, 4U1UN, 4U1WRC, 5B/LZ2HM, 5H1DN, 5H1HD, 5H3EE, 5H3G, 5J0E, 5T5DC, 5U5U, 5X1AB, 5X1NH, 5Z1A, 5Z4DZ, 5Z4FM, 5Z4HW, 6W1SJ, 6Y1V, 6Y9S, 7P8FC, 7Q7VB, 7X4AN, 8P1A, 8R1K, 8R1PW, 9A73AA, 9G5ZW, 9J2BO, 9K2HN, 9K2MU, 9L1BTB, 9L1TBT, 9M2/JH3GCN, 9M6XRO, 9M6XRO/p (OC-133), 9Q1EK, 9X0X, 9Y4D, 9Y4NZ, 9Y4W, A35MT, A35RK, A41MX, A45WM, A45XR, A71AN, A92GR, A92HB, AA8LL/4 (NA-076), AX3AMA, AY0DX, C21DL, C31IU, C31LM, C37URA, C38JM, C4N, C50C, C52C, C56JC, C56KR, C6AKQ, C91VB, CEOZ/DL2AH, CE3/VE7SV, CN8KD, CO2OT, CO8LY, CQ95F, CT/DL5DSM/p (EU-145), CT1FJK, CU8A, CW2C, CW6V, CX7CO, D2NX, DF6QC (EU-127), DL4MO/TI8, DR1A,



DU3NXE, DU9RG, E21YDP, E4/OM2DX, E51JA, E51QMA, E51TUG, EA5/EA7TV (EU-093), EK6CC, EP2AC, ET3JA, FG/F5CWU, FG5FR, FG5LA, FH1LE, FJ/G3TXF, FJ/OH2AM, FJ/SP6IXF, FJ5KH, FM5AA, FM5WD, FO/HA9G/p, FO/JA8BMK, FO/KH0PR, FO/N6JA, FO/OH1RX, FS/K9EL, FS/N9QGU, FT5XP, FWOMO, FWOYL, GI3OQR, GJ0KYZ, GX4KPT, H40MY, H44MS, H44MY, H7/IV3IYH, H7/NP2D, HC8A, HH2FYD/6 (NA-149), HH4/AF4Z, HH4/K4QD, HI9/DL2RVL, HK3TU, HL0LPM/2 (AS-090), HL2FDW, HP3AK, HP3XUG, HQ9R, HS0ZDX, HT2N, HV0A, IC8R, IF9ZWA, J20VB, J28JA, J37T, J5C (AF-020), J6/W0SA, 8/DJ7ZG, J8/DL7AFS, JD1BLY, JD1BMH, JH4RHF/BY1DX, JT1CO, JY4NE, K2ZR/4 (NA-062), KB7OBU/KH2, KH2/WE8A, KH7X, KH8/K3UY, KP2/K3CT, KP2M, KP4ED, LA/DL5ME (EU-056), LN8W, LT1F, LU1ZD, LZ128LO, MJ/F5CWU, MJ/K8PT, MJ0ASP, N1LI (NA-137), NP4A, OC1I (SA-076), OC6I (SA-098), OF8X, OH0B, OH0R, OJ0B, OJ1ABOA, OM8A, OX/NA1SA, OX/OH1RX,



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